Antenna

YCGS006AA Datasheet

Antenna Services

Version: 2.2

Date: 2023-04-25

Status: Released

At Quectel, our aim is to provide timely and comprehensive services to our customers. If you require any assistance, please contact our headquarters:

Quectel Wireless Solutions Co., Ltd.
Building 5, Shanghai Business Park Phase III (Area B), No.1016 Tianlin Road, Minhang District, Shanghai 200233, China
Tel: +86 21 5108 6236
Email: info@quectel.com

Or our local offices. For more information, please visit:
http://www.quectel.com/support/sales.htm.

For technical support, or to report documentation errors, please visit:
http://www.quectel.com/support/technical.htm.
Or email us at: support@quectel.com.

Legal Notices

We offer information as a service to you. The provided information is based on your requirements and we make every effort to ensure its quality. You agree that you are responsible for using independent analysis and evaluation in designing intended products, and we provide reference designs for illustrative purposes only. Before using any hardware, software or service guided by this document, please read this notice carefully. Even though we employ commercially reasonable efforts to provide the best possible experience, you hereby acknowledge and agree that this document and related services hereunder are provided to you on an “as available” basis. We may revise or restate this document from time to time at our sole discretion without any prior notice to you.

Use and Disclosure Restrictions

License Agreements

Documents and information provided by us shall be kept confidential, unless specific permission is granted. They shall not be accessed or used for any purpose except as expressly provided herein.

Copyright

Our and third-party products hereunder may contain copyrighted material. Such copyrighted material shall not be copied, reproduced, distributed, merged, published, translated, or modified without prior written consent. We and the third party have exclusive rights over copyrighted material. No license shall be granted or conveyed under any patents, copyrights, trademarks, or service mark rights. To avoid ambiguities, purchasing in any form cannot be deemed as granting a license other than the normal non-exclusive, royalty-free license to use the material. We reserve the right to take legal action for noncompliance with abovementioned requirements, unauthorized use, or other illegal or malicious use of the material.

Trademarks

Except as otherwise set forth herein, nothing in this document shall be construed as conferring any rights to use any trademark, trade name or name, abbreviation, or counterfeit product thereof owned by Quectel or any third party in advertising, publicity, or other aspects.

Third-Party Rights

This document may refer to hardware, software and/or documentation owned by one or more third parties ("third-party materials"). Use of such third-party materials shall be governed by all restrictions and obligations applicable thereto.

We make no warranty or representation, either express or implied, regarding the third-party materials, including but not limited to any implied or statutory, warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, quiet enjoyment, system integration, information accuracy, and non-infringement of any third-party intellectual property rights with regard to the licensed technology or use thereof. Nothing herein constitutes a representation or warranty by us to either develop, enhance, modify, distribute, market, sell, offer for sale, or otherwise maintain production of any our products or any other hardware, software, device, tool, information, or product. We moreover disclaim any and all warranties arising from the course of dealing or usage of trade.

Privacy Policy

To implement module functionality, certain device data are uploaded to Quectel's or third-party's servers, including carriers, chipset suppliers or customer-designated servers. Quectel, strictly abiding by the relevant laws and regulations, shall retain, use, disclose or otherwise process relevant data for the purpose of performing the service only or as permitted by applicable laws. Before data interaction with third parties, please be informed of their privacy and data security policy.

Disclaimer

a) We acknowledge no liability for any injury or damage arising from the reliance upon the information.
b) We shall bear no liability resulting from any inaccuracies or omissions, or from the use of the information contained herein.
c) While we have made every effort to ensure that the functions and features under development are free from errors, it is possible that they could contain errors, inaccuracies, and omissions. Unless otherwise provided by valid agreement, we make no warranties of any kind, either implied or express, and exclude all liability for any loss or damage suffered in connection with the use of features and functions under development, to the maximum extent permitted by law, regardless of whether such loss or damage may have been foreseeable.
d) We are not responsible for the accessibility, safety, accuracy, availability, legality, or completeness of information, advertising, commercial offers, products, services, and materials on third-party websites and third-party resources.

About the Document

Revision History

Version	Date	Author	Note
-	2021-08-24	Kenny YIN/ Xiaodong YANG	Creation of the document
1.0	2021-08-24	Kenny YIN/ Aria CHU/ Xiaodong YANG	First official release
1.1	2021-09-14	Junsen LI	1. Updated the product feature (Chapter 2.0). 2. Deleted the connector type (Chapter 4.0).
2.0	2021-11-04	Xiaodong YANG	Updated all test data in this datasheet.
2.1	2021-12-03	Xiaodong YANG	Updated the product description (Chapter 1).
2.2	2023-04-25	David LIU	Updated the packaging (Chapter 9).

Contents

1 Product Description

This Quectel GNSS antenna adopts a diversity of forms to guarantee the most suitable polarization type. Quectel's positioning products support single-band or multi-band operation modes to meet various high-precision positioning requirements of customers' products. Quectel also provides both passive and active antennas to satisfy the customer demand for high gain. Such antenna supports different installation or connection methods such as pin mount, surface mount, magnetic mount, internal cable, and external SMA. Customized connector type and cable length are provided according to requirements.

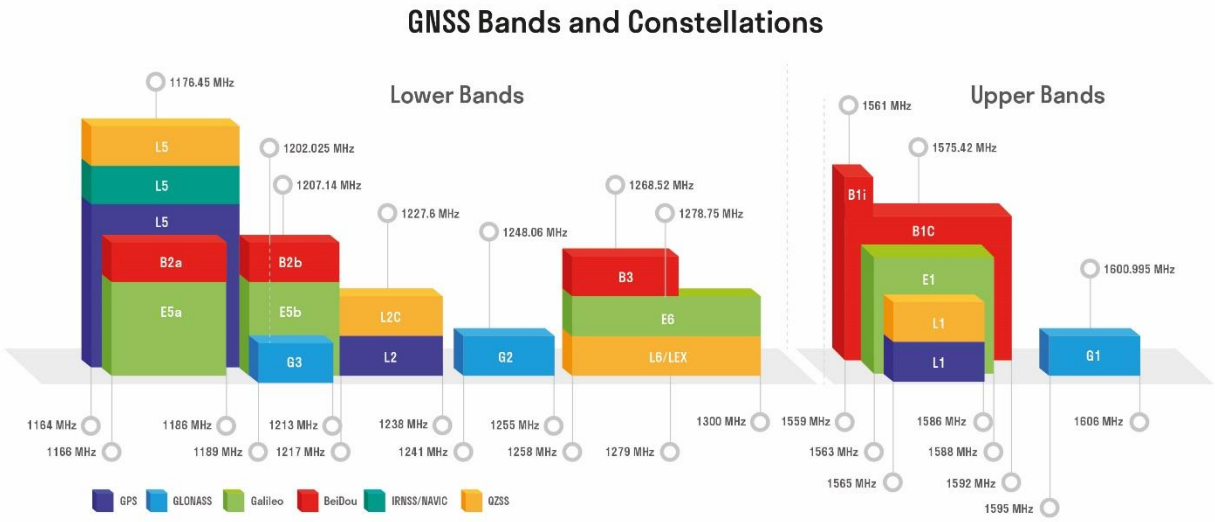
We provide comprehensive antenna design support such as simulation, testing and manufacturing for custom antenna solutions to meet your specific application needs.

2 Product Features

- Ceramic GPS L1; GLONASS G1
- High efficiency
- Excellent performance

3 GNSS Frequency Band Checklist

GNSS Frequency Bands (MHz)					
GPS	**L1** Centre 1575.42 (1565–1586)	**L2** Centre 1227.6 (1217–1238)	**L5** Centre 1176.45 (1164–1189)		
	●	-	-		
GLONASS	**G1/L1OC/L1OF** Centre 1601 (1595–1606)	**G2/L2OC/L2OF** Centre 1248.06 (1241–1255)	**G3/L3OC** Centre 1202.025 (1189–1213)		
	●	-	-		
GALILEO	**E1** Centre 1575.42 (1563–1588)	**E5a** Centre 1176.45 (1166–1187)	**E5b** Centre 1207.14 (1197–1218)	**E6** Centre 1278.75 (1258–1300)	
	●	-	-	-	
BEIDOU	**B1I** Centre 1561.098 (1559–1564)	**B1C (BeiDou-3)** Centre 1575.42 (1559–1592)	**B2a/B2I** Centre 1176.45 (1166–1187)	**B2b** Centre 1207.14 (1197–1217)	**B3** Centre 1268.52 (1258–1279)
	-	●	-	-	-
QZSS	**L1** Centre 1575.42 (1573–1578)	**L2C** Centre 1227.6 (1226–1229)	**L5** Centre 1176.45 (1166–1187)	**L6** Centre 1278.75 (1257–1300)	
	●	-	-	-	
IRNSS	**L5** Centre 1176.45 (1164–1189)				
	-				


GNSS Bands and Constellations
Lower Bands
Upper Bands
1176.45 MHz
L5
L5
L5
B2a
E5a
1202.025 MHz
1207.14 MHz
B2b
E5b
B3
1227.6 MHz
L2C
L2
1248.06 MHz
G2
1268.52 MHz
1278.75 MHz
E6
L6/LEX
1561 MHz
1575.42 MHz
B1i
B1C
E1
L1
L1
1600.995 MHz
G1
1164 MHz
1166 MHz
1186 MHz
1189 MHz
1213 MHz
1217 MHz
1238 MHz
1241 MHz
1255 MHz
1258 MHz
1279 MHz
1300 MHz
1559 MHz
1563 MHz
1565 MHz
1586 MHz
1588 MHz
1592 MHz
1595 MHz
1606 MHz
GPS
GLONASS
Galileo
BeiDou
IRNSS/NAVIC
QZSS

4 Product Specifications (Testing Description)

- The antenna is tested on a 70 mm × 70 mm PCB.

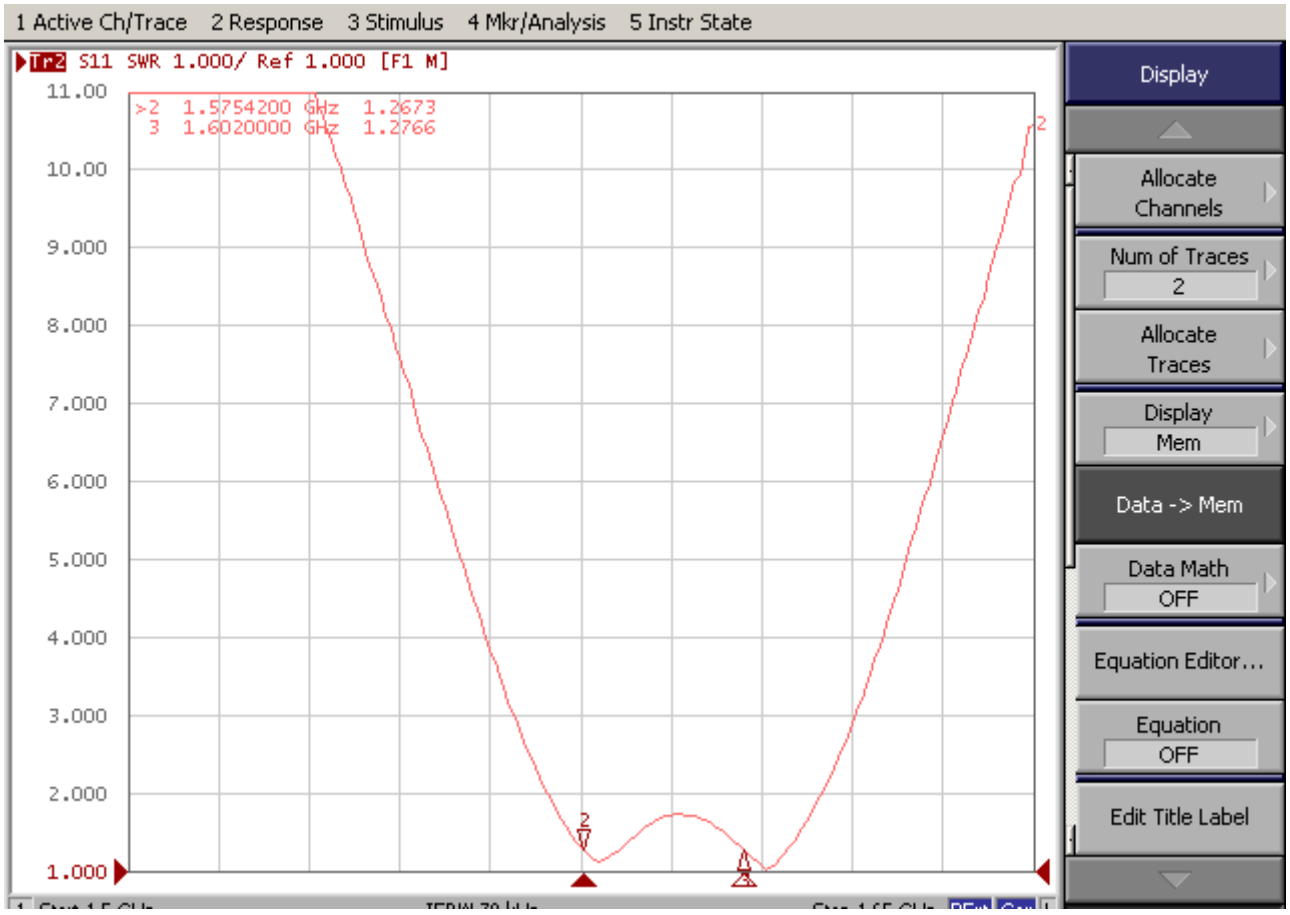
Passive Electrical Specifications	
Frequency Range	1575.42–1602 MHz (±1.5 MHz)
Input Impedance	50 Ω
VSWR	≤ 2.0
Gain	≤ 3.0 dBi
Polarization Type	RHCP
Mechanical Specifications	
Antenna Size	25 × 25 × 4 mm
Casing	Ceramics
Working Temperature	-40 °C to +85 °C

5 Overall Performance

5.1. Test Environment

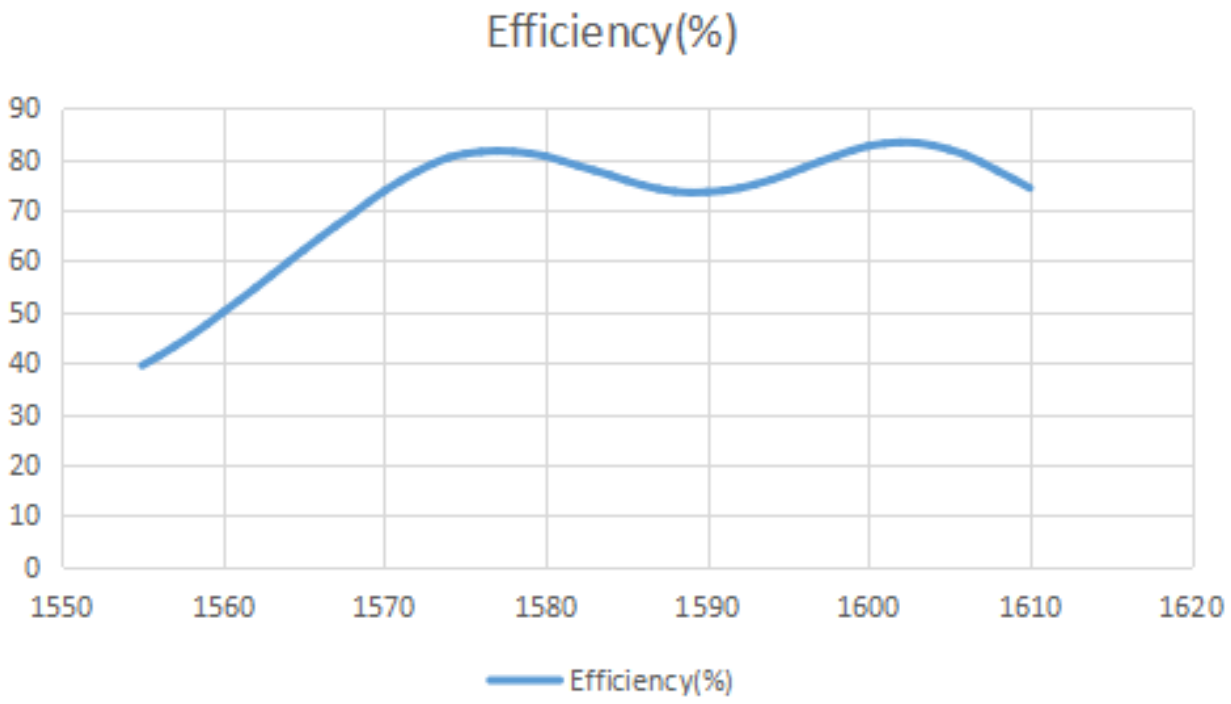
- KEYSIGHT ENA Network Analyzer E5063A 100 kHz – 8.5 GHz
- RayZone® 2800 Chamber 5G (FR1) SISO/MIMO, 600 MHz – 8.5 GHz

5.2. VSWR



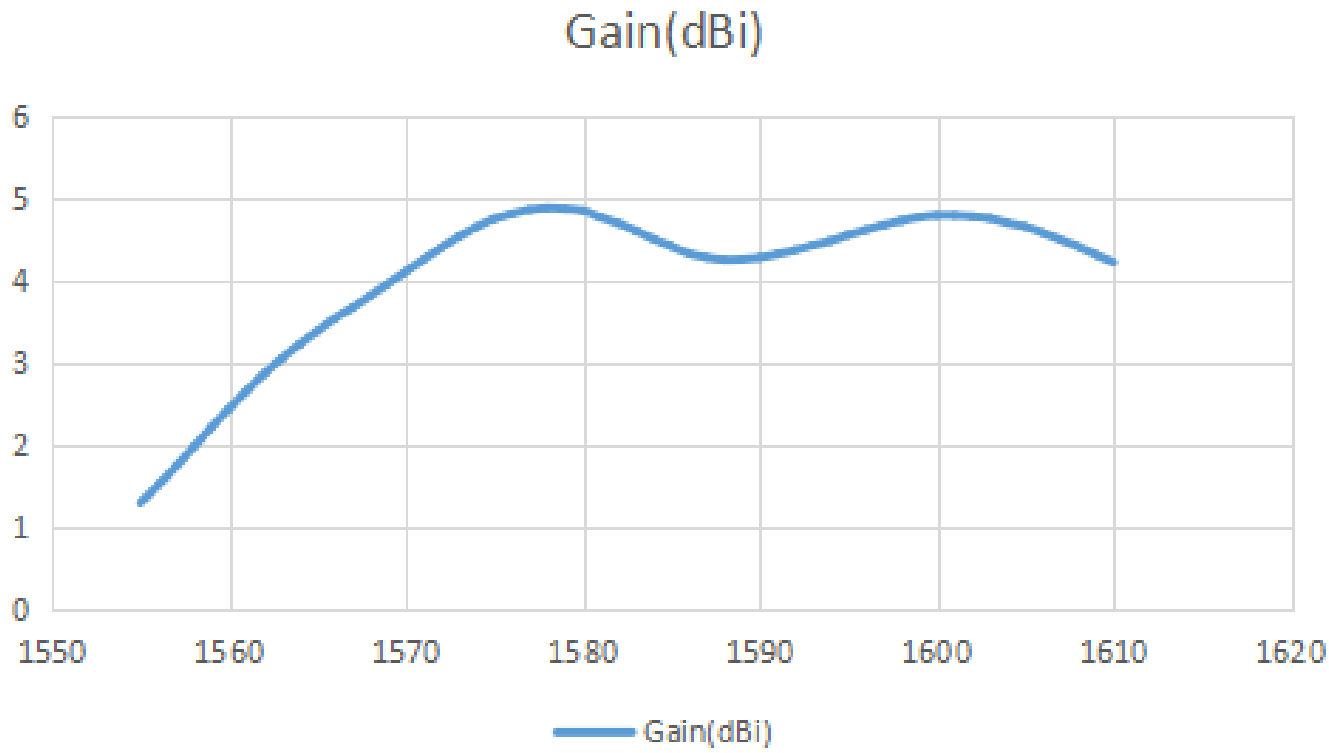
Frequency (MHz)	1575	1602
VSWR	1.2	1.2

5.3. Efficiency



Frequency (MHz)	1575	1602
Efficiency (%)	81.02	83.28

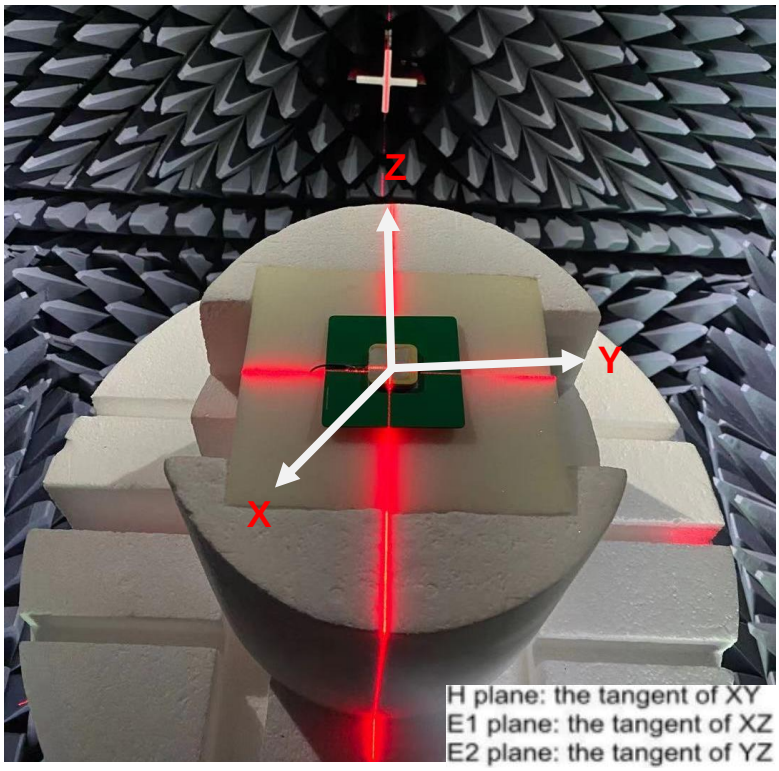
5.4. Gain

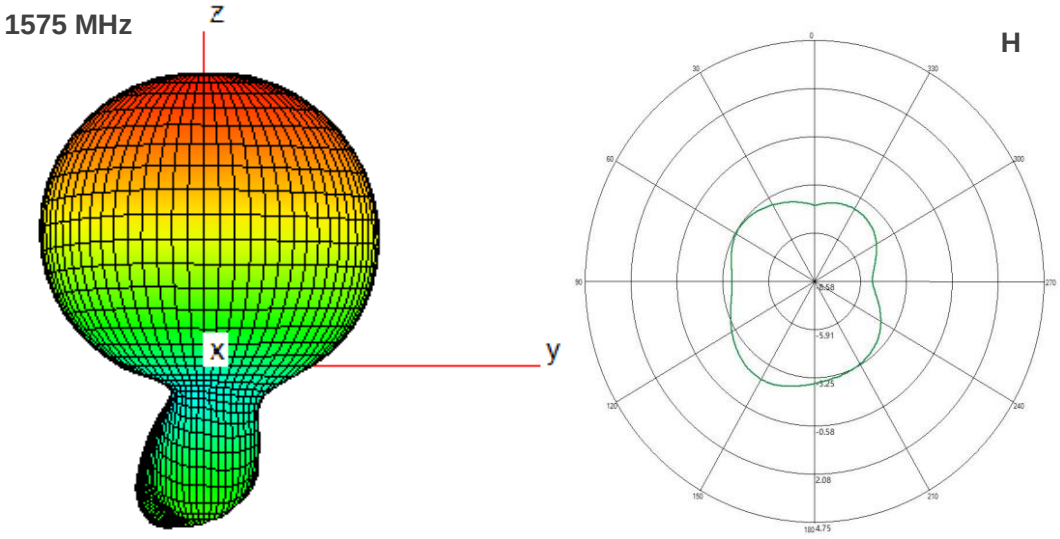


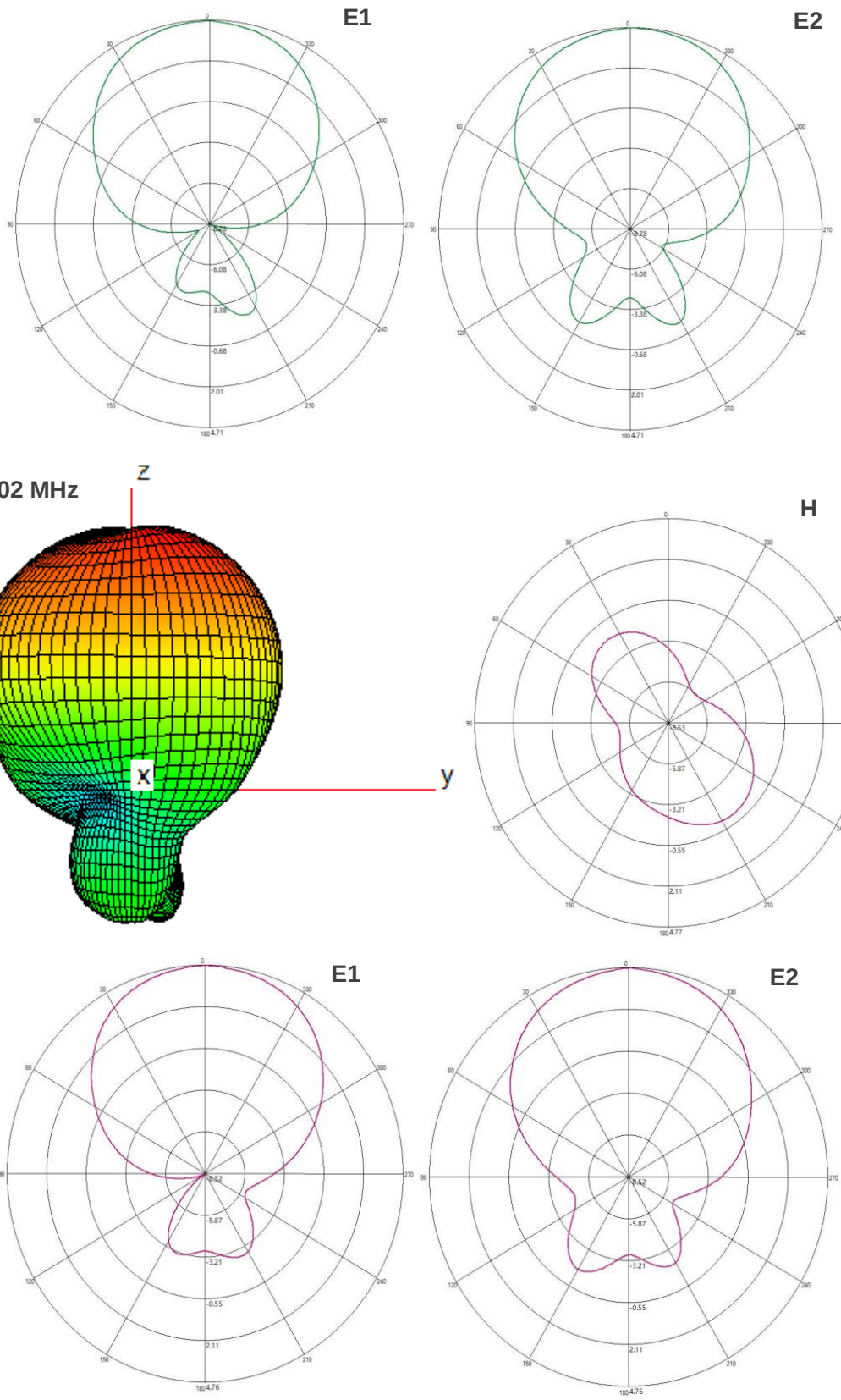
Frequency (MHz)	1575	1602
Gain (dBi)	4.7	4.7

5.5. Radiation Pattern

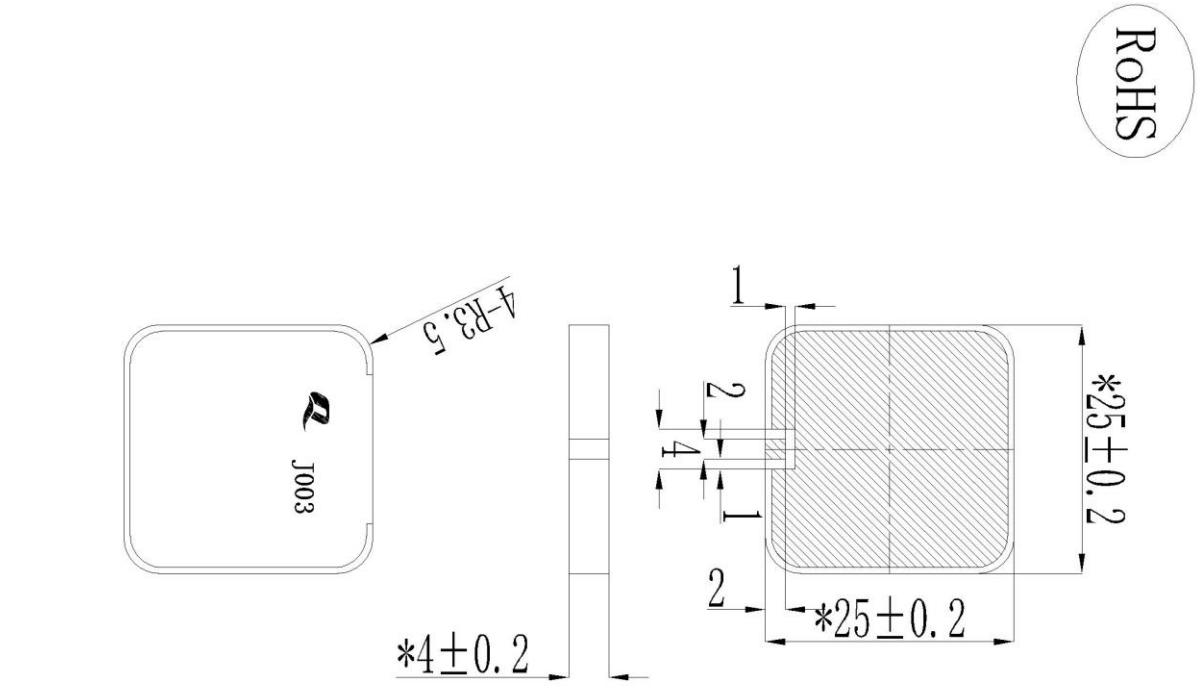
- Test condition: free space.



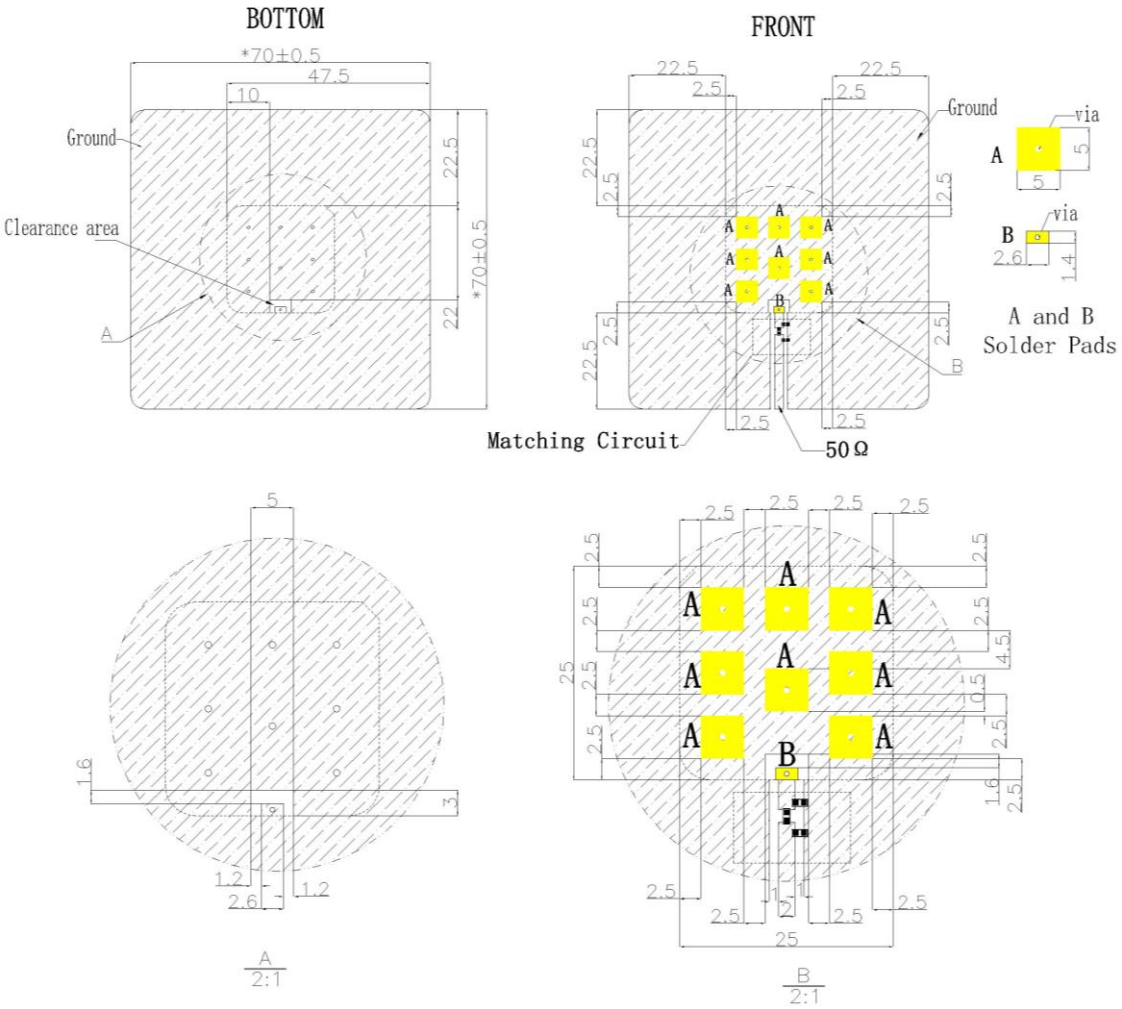



E1
E2
1602 MHz
z
x
y
H
E1
E2

6 Product Size

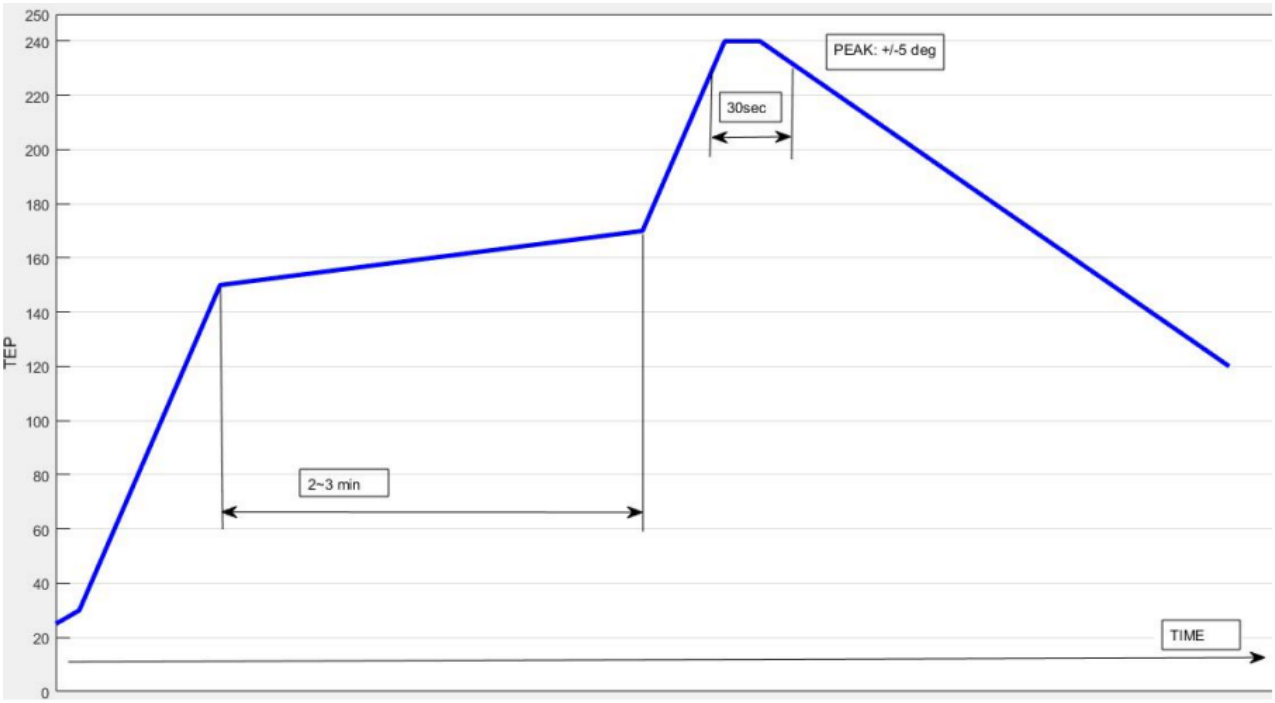


7 PCB Reference Design

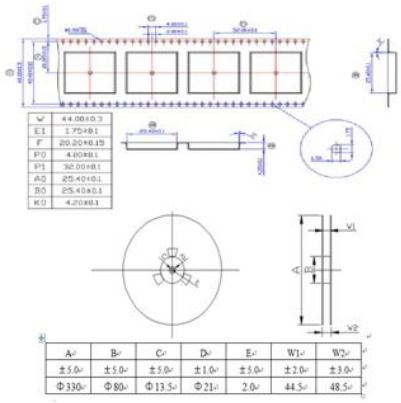
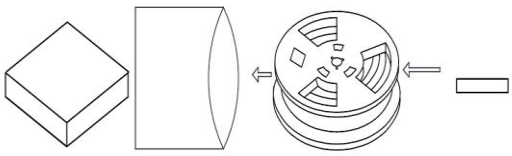
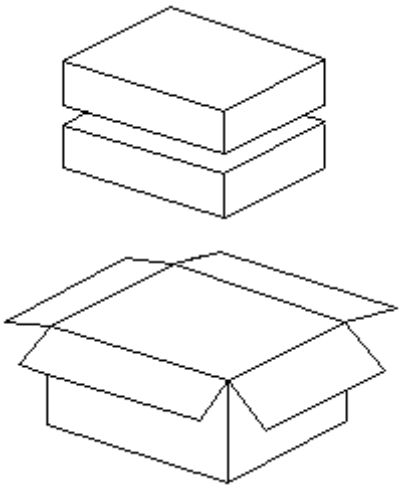


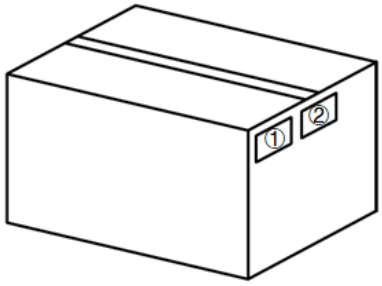
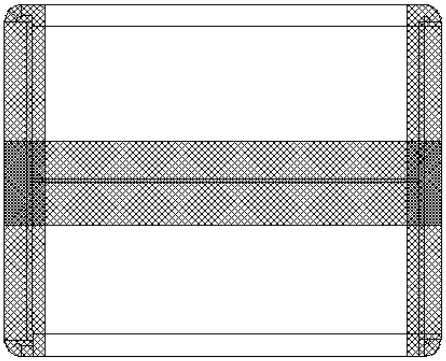
8 Recommended Reflow Soldering Profile

- Solder paste: Sn/Ag/Cu - 96.5/3.0/0.5.
- Recommended reflow condition:



9 Packaging

Step	Packaging Picture / 2D Picture	Description
1		Reel
2		(400 pcs antenna products per reel) Reel tape is vacuumed into the inner box.
3		(2 inner boxes per carton box) (800 pcs antennas per carton box) Carton Size: L × W × H = 355 × 355 × 140 mm

4		**Position for Attaching Labels** ① Carton Label ② Quality Label
5		**Sealing Cartons** "工" type sealing cartons